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WHITESBURG, LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 29, 1943.

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Nationally Known Lecturer To Speak in Letcher County

Schedule:
Jenkins, Wednesday, May 5, 7:30 E. W. T., Methodist Church; Whitesburg, Thurs., May 6, 2:00 C. W. T., High School Auditorium; Fleming, Thursday, May 6, 8:00, E. W. T. High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Grace Sloan Overton presented through the Hogg Foundation of the Union of Texas will be in Letcher county, May 5 and 6th. Mrs. Overton is expert in Youth Counseling, Personality, Adjustment Preparation for marriage and family life.

She has been a teacher and lecturer for over 15 years in the United States. Her wisdom and common sense philosophy give her talks the down-to-earth quality which everyone needs during a war time period. She is an unusually attractive speaker and equally interesting to students and teachers, children and parents, youths and adults.

Each of the three towns is arranging for its own meeting and every person who can possibly attend should hear Mrs. Overton.

In Whitesburg at 1:30 P.M. on Thursday, the Baptist Church bus will make a circle through Upper Bottom, Lower Bottom, Hill Section and stop at Ammerman's Garage for persons across the river.

Everyone is urged to attend. It's a cooperative undertaking and we want you to come and bring others.

—HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT.

In our issue of April 15th appeared a nice letter from Venter Holcomb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holcomb, local citizens. This week they received a wire from the War Department stating that Venter was a prisoner of war. He was captured by the Italians. We hope and trust the young man will be safe and someday return to his native home in Letcher County along with all other American boys who are prisoners of war.

LIQUOR CONTROLL ASS'N TO HOLD RALLY AT COURTHOUSE, MAY 2ND

There will be a county-wide rally at the Courthouse in Whitesburg, Sunday, May 2, at 2:00 P. M., C. W. T., called by the Letcher County Liquor Control Association in the interest of the prohibition election, to be held on May 31st.

This meeting will mark the beginning of the campaign to vote the County dry. A speakers' contest among the young people will close on that day when speakers from the high school districts will present their speeches on dry subjects. Rev. A. R. Perkins of Harlan will speak.

The play, "Backfire," will be presented by John D. Sergeant, Keithel Reynolds, Paul Pigman, David Fields, Carolyn Hays, Eileen Bentley and Betty Province, directed by Miss Eline Salyers. This play has been well received in the several communities in which it has been presented. Everyone should see this play.

Oscar Jones of Whitley county has an outstanding demonstration of alfalfa production notes Farm Agent John Bach. Two years ago Mr. Jones seeded 60 pounds on approximately two acres. The first year he made three cuttings; last year he made four cuttings and got between six and eight tons of hay.

Letcher Co. Soldier Dies Suddenly At Indiantown Gap, Pa.

Hundreds of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Jonah Brashears on Kingdom Come Creek, Sunday, April 25th to pay their last tribute of respect to Estill Brashears who died suddenly of Cerebral Edema, at Indiantown Gap Military Reservation, Indiantown Gap, Pa.

The body was accompanied to Whitesburg by Corporal Albert H. Kaste and received by the Johnson Funeral Home.

Estill was 28 years of age and served in the army just a little over a year. He and some of his buddies were walking back to camp after attending a picture show when he was suddenly stricken, and passed away on April 18th.

Besides his parents, he leaves the following to mourn his departure. Ernell Brashears in the armed forces in Australia; Coman, Corbin, and Woodrow at the home on Kingdom Come.

Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday, April 25th with the Rev. Caleb Creech and Rev. John D. Ison officiating.

Jenkins Woman's Clubs Sponsoring Local Talent Play, "Funzapoppin"

The Jenkins Junior and Senior Woman's Club are sponsoring local talent play "Funzapoppin" a "laff a minute" show Friday, April 30th 8:07 P. M., High School Auditorium in Jenkins.

The proceeds of the play will be used for welfare work in Jenkins by Jr. and Sr. Woman's Club.

The twelve main speaking parts are carried by Ina Combs as colored cook, Ambrosia; Ruby Boggs, plays the Irish Maid; Eva Jean Harris a College Girl, Mrs. Joe Blevins, the snobbiest Society Girl and Miss Vivian Smith plays the parts of Mrs. Worthington Brown the ambitious mother.

Reuby Atkins, the hard-boiled landlady, Mrs. Snappett and Gobbie Gooney gossip old maid played by Mrs. Vada Wolfe and Clara Shaw plays the part of Aunt Ida, the Sheriff of Cantamount County in Idaho, Harold Greer plays the part of Vic True-man and Jimmie Ellenburg as Bobby Blair, the College Freshman, Seth Kegan as J. Edgar Dunwiddie the Kitten-bachelor about town and Sylvester Togg, III, the herpetologist is carried by A. R. Alley.

The cast is supported by 100 choruses, people in clever costumes, peppy steps and catchy tunes and will afford everyone an evening of good entertainment Friday, April 30th, 8:07 P. M. High School Auditorium with every advance ticket sold you get a free guess on when the clock is going to stop—and win \$3.00.

Mrs. Otis Mohn and Mrs. Bill Blair wired their folks this week that they arrived safely in Texas where they joined their husbands who are serving with the U. S. Army. Otis had had an emergency operation for appendicitis but was getting along splendidly the message stated.

Selectees For Induction May 3

(by Local Board No. 101)

Orville Polly, Whitesburg
Willie Potter, Jackhorn
Billie Adams, Ermine
Clifton Adams, Southdown
James E. Adams, Drift
James E. Bentley, Neon
Charles R. Sheffield, McRoberts
Golden Hale, Whitesburg
Clisby C. Moxley, Paintsville
Truman Anderson, Cromona
Edward W. Nunley, McRoberts
James L. King, Cromona
Henry C. Mullins, Payne Gap
Louis P. Toth, Dunham
Jack E. Humphrey, Millstone
Joe Bentley, Payne Gap
Ester Brown, Jackhorn
Bert V. Ray, Cromona
Raleigh D. Lucas, Farraday
Hershel Hall, Jackhorn
Walter E. Horne, McRoberts
Garland E. Sanders, McRoberts
Freddie Terry, Partridge
Robert D. Preston, Seco
Elmer L. Back, Sergeant
Virgil C. Mullins, McRoberts
Paul Cooper, Eolia

James W. Johnson, Jackhorn
William F. Bartley, Jackhorn
Hayden Burns, Neon
Daniel Adams, Neon
Sam Scott, Jr., Eolia
J. C. Oliver, Burdine
Clarence W. Mullins, Jenkins
Isom C. Bentley, Jackhorn
Kenneth J. Bentley, Millstone
George Earls, Sergeant
Douglas E. Bates, Jenkins
Cecil Mann, Mayking
George Whitaker, Payne Gap
James E. Anderson, Jackhorn
Leslie Caudill, Ermine
Harry Lewis, Jr., Seco
Jerrell Webb, Sergeant
Lloyd Hubbard, Jr., Eolia
Vernon Bates, Seco
John R. Holland, Southdown
Lloyd G. Short, Beehide
James W. Pease, Southdown
Herman Johnson, McRoberts
David E. LeMaster, Jenkins
Carl Cook, Kona
Bobby E. Adams, Mayking
Gomer Caudill, Eolia
Burl F. Anderson, Burdine

Howard Collins, Cromona
Clarence C. Fleming, Jenkins
William K. Mullins, Jenkins
Charles C. Fugate, Mayking
Buddy Nowlin, Jenkins
Edward Sexton, Jenkins
Wilcie E. Brown, Jackhorn
Jesse Collier, Neon
Robert E. Boggs, Partridge
Arthur E. Short, Jackhorn
John V. Mullins, Beehide
Marshall Galloway, Partridge
George A. Evanoff, Dunham
Lester Blair, Mayking
Clyde E. Worley, Neon
Dewey D. Yonts, Neon
William Brummett, Kona
Denver D. Newman, Neon
R. R. Crawford, Jr., Whitesburg
Ellis Duncil, Farraday
Fred Smith, Eolia
Floyd M. Dent, Thornton
Douglas L. Sehorne, McRoberts
Wayne Taubee, Jr., Whitesburg
Archie Craft, Thornton
Conrad Isaac, Millstone
Robert D. Barr, Jenkins
Willard Watts, Sergeant
James P. Johnson, Whitesburg

Selectees To be Inducted on or Before May 5th

(by Local Board 102)

Casey Amburgey, Jr., Eli Banks, Jr., Shelby Collins, Hillard, Hagan Draughan, Paul James McCray, Ishment Baker, Woodrow Caudill, Whitesburg, Ky.; James Henry Baker, Democrat, Ky.; John Preston Eldridge, Carcassonne, Ky.; Lloyd C. Cook, James B. Miles, Dewey S. Parker, Premium, Ky.; Amos Collins, Regnal Collins, Uvah, Ky.; Steve Frazier, Coman Brashears, Oscaloosa, Ky.; Burley Caudill, Granville Blair, Benjamin Franklin Blair, Jr., Ruby Caudill, Jeremiah, Ky.;

Little Shepherd, Less Shepherd, Coleman Sumpter, Gordon, Ky.; Herbert Jimmie Combs, Jr., McKinley Corbett, Jr., Elmer Bowling, Andrew Kimbrey, Elmer Dixon, Jr., Backey, Ky.; Edward L. Rose, Cromona, Ky.; Warren Ingram, Daniel Boone Hall, Gilley, Ky.; Conley Addington, Londie Sexton, Alonzo Gibson, Leander Sexton, Doyle Hall, Colson, Ky.; Douglas Ervine Fields, Alvin Caudill, Day, Ky.; Coleman Day, Claude Tolson, Roxana, Ky.; Tansel Collins, Van, Ky.; Roscoe Franklin Smith,

Clifton Shepherd, Hobert Kiser, Carbondale, Ky.; Earl Morrice Broughton, Rex Kiser, Polly, Ky.; Frank Jackson, Linefork, Ky.; Ray Brown, Hatler, Cook, Jr., Crown, Ky.; James B. Miles, Orville Caudill, Dongola, Ky.; Venson Whitaker, Elmon Watts, John C. Watts, Kermit Caudill, Hallie, Ky.; Earl Cornett, Linefork, Ky.; Ermine Ike Adams, Dayton, Ohio; Ralph Tolliver, Whitesburg, Ky.; Spencer Haynes, Osborn, Ohio; Henry William Adams, Jr., Sackett, Ky.; Troy Holland, Blackey.

New Support

Prices Announced

A new support price on soybeans has been announced by the State committee of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency.

The support price on soybeans will be \$1.80 per bushel on yellow beans having no more than 14 per cent moisture content, with premiums and discounts as previously announced for other qualities.

The soybean goal for the state of Kentucky is 141,300 acres. The recent farm survey conducted by the Community Committeemen of the AAA shows the intended production of 146,560 acres with the Union county report not tabulated.

Labor Board Submits Coal Mine Dispute To President Roosevelt

According to last minute reports the War Labor Board has submitted the soft coal wage dispute to President Roosevelt with what amounted to a tacit appeal for intervention to halt a threatened work stoppage by 450,000 miners.

As we go to press we learn that miners are gradually coming out all over the coal regions and there will in all probability be an all-out strike by midnight Saturday. It seems as if it is now up to the President to intervene which he will probably do.

Throughout the United States \$720,407,000 worth of Series E. War Bonds were purchased in March.

Lt. Mansfield Dixon

Promoted to 1st Lieut.

Ft. Benning, Ga., April 23.—Promotion of 2nd Lieut. Mansfield Dixon of Blackey, Ky., to the rank of 1st Lt. has been announced by Col. Richard G. McKee, commanding officer of the 300th Infantry Regiment, in which Lt. Dixon is serving as Motor Transportation Officer.

Lt. Dixon, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon of Blackey, attended Pikeville College, Pikeville, Kentucky. He was formerly employed as an Assistant Druggist.

Lieut. Dixon entered the service in January, 1942, and was assigned to duty at Camp Wolters, Texas. In June of 1942 he was selected to attend the Infantry Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga. Upon completion of his course there he was commissioned a 2nd. Lt. in the army.

Lt. Dixon also attended the Officer Motor Maintenance School at the Infantry, Fort Benning, and when the 300th Infantry Regiment was activated at the same Fort in December of 1942, he was assigned to 3rd Battalion Headquarters as Motor Transport Officer.

The 300th Infantry Regiment is a demonstration regiment at the Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga., the largest institution of its kind in the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoback were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mollie H. Young of Wise, Va. They reported a lovely time with lots of good eats.

Annual District Conference At Jenkins, May 6th

The Annual District Conference of the Barbourville District will be held on next Thursday, May 6th at Jenkins, Ky. Rev. G. M. Haggard, Superintendent, presiding. The Church Board and various interests of the Methodist Churches in Eastern Kentucky will be represented. Bishop U. V. W. Darlington of Huntington, W. Va., will be the inspirational speaker and will speak at 2:30 in the afternoon, E. W. T. Rev. A. D. Houglin, Pastor -host announced that dinner will be served at the Church by the Woman's Society of Christian Service for all those attending. A large crowd is expected at the one day conference which will open at ten A. M., C. W. T.

Little Lucille Dixon Passes To Rest

On Monday evening, April 12 the "Grim Reaper" again entered a home, that of Jim and Linda Dixon of Pert Creek. Mrs. Dixon had stepped out to a neighbor's home only a short distance away and was gone for a short time but somehow, while she was gone Lucille accidentally caught fire and was burned so badly death came only a few hours later, although everything humanly possible was done that could be done to save her.

She was around 22 years of age although an invalid for many years and had been denied the pleasures of most children. Being small and frail yet equal to the most high in Jesus sight. Little Lucille will be greatly missed by her family and her many friends who often visited her. She leaves a father and mother and two sisters to mourn her passing.

Funeral services were held in the Thornton Church at Mayking by Elders G. Bennett Adams and Colonel Sexton. The body was laid to rest beside her Uncle William Hogg in the Webb Cemetery. The Craft funeral home was in charge of the last rites.

KENTUCKIAN HONORED FOR THREE YEAR SERVICE

U. S. FIFTH ARMY, NORTH AFRICA — Staff Sergeant Boyd Boatright has been awarded the red and white Good Conduct Ribbon for having completed three years of active enlisted service, according to his commanding officer, Captain Joel C. Kennedy, of New York City.

Boatright is the son of Rufus E. Boatright, of Whitesburg, Kentucky, and is on duty with an armored unit of the U. S. Fifth Army.

Camp Robinson, Ark. — Pvt. John A. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Baker, Neon, Ky., scored 203 to make a rating of "Expert" in rifle marksmanship during his basic training at the Branch Immaterial Replacement Training Center, Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, it was learned here today. The "Expert" rating is awarded to those men who score 195 or better out of a possible 220 points.

Pvt. Baker, who was inducted March 2, 1942, has been at Camp Robinson since March 15, 1943. Prior to his induction Pvt. Baker was employed as a farmer by his father.

Harlan Flyer Gets Jap Cargo Ship

Somewhere in New Guinea, April 14.—First Lieut. Hal C. Winfrey of Harlan, Ky., took a Flying Fortress so low over a 6,000 ton Japanese cargo ship in Hansa bay on the north coast of New Guinea that he had to rise quickly to miss the ship's radio antenna, but he put his 500-pound bombs in the right place and probably sank the vessel.

"The weather was terrible," Winfrey said. "It was raining hard. On the first run from a medium altitude we missed badly with two bombs. The bombardier, Second Lieut. Francis Peattie of Beacon, scored with the third and fourth.

McRoberts Pastor Goes to Salyersville

M. Robert Regan, Pastor of the McRoberts Baptist Church announced to his congregation on Easter morning that he had resigned in order to accept a similar position with the Baptist Church at Salyersville, Ky. Rev. Regan, a native of Arkansas, had been pastor of one of the Louisville Baptist Churches before coming to McRoberts five years ago.

While accepting the pastor's resignation, the Church accepted the resignation of J.M. Fuller, Superintendent of the Sunday School. Mr. Fuller, justice of the peace of Dist. No. 2, moving to East Jenkins in order to be closer to his office and restaurant business.

Fourth Annual Farmer's Round-up Sun., May 2; All Day

The Fourth Annual Farmer's Round-up will be held on J. S. Holbrook's farm (just above Millstone, on the Highway), Sunday, May 2 beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., C. W. T.

Speakers and visitors from the University of Kentucky Experiment Station will include Mr. Wm. C. Johnstone, Dr. Henry Noble Sherwood and Mr. W. C. Wilson. Mr. Johnstone has been coming every year for this annual meeting. Dr. Sherwood, an inspirational speaker, will have as his subject, "The Enlargement of Life."

A tour of the Holbrook farm will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. A fine mountain pasture, clover, vetch, timothy, orchard grass and other crops will be seen. There will be pure-bred livestock to see. Also, we expect to have a threshing machine on display. You can't afford to miss this meeting. Over 500 people attended the meeting last year.

Everybody will spread dinner at noon. Bring a big basket of food, (chickens are not rationed). The talks will be heard after dinner.

In case of rain the meeting will be in the Millstone Theater. See your neighbors and arrange for a truck to bring several families.

Very truly yours,
HUGH HURST,
County Agent.

Dr. B. F. Wright,
W. B. Hunsucker,
Committee in Charge.

Staff Sergeant Carl Smallwood of the U. S. Army arrived in the U. S. from Trinidad, one of the East Indies, and is spending a short furlough with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Smallwood.

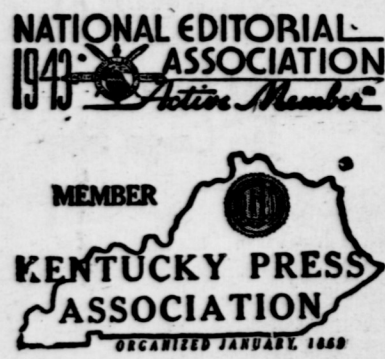
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THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1943



Paris, Ky.
April 20, 1943.

Dear Sirs:

I am a weekly reader of your mountain paper and enjoy it very much. I especially like the beautiful poetry that you never fail to have. I stay with Mrs. A. C. Craft, who takes your paper.

I have two brothers in the armed forces and also a sweetheart. I hope you will publish my poems for others to enjoy as I have enjoyed theirs.

Yours truly,
LELIA BRUNKER.

HERE AND THERE

It's so quiet and homely sitting here
It seems as if the world has nothing to fear

It's like a dream
To hear of our cities being blown to bits
The beauty of nations being destroyed
By the enemies direct hits.

Little we know of
The horrors of war
'Tis true we do on less coffee and sugar and little gas for our cars.

Our boys are getting fewer every day
Some shall return
Others shall stay
We are safe

By our own firesides
While over there, at the sound of planes, all are running
To air raid shelter to hide.

They are in danger day and night
Helping their boys with a brave fight.
Don't grumble for what you have to eat,
Doing without is a weapon for defeat

Our boys are brave, we must be too,
So let's start now seeing what we can do.

BUY WAR BONDS.

A PRAYER FOR PEACE
He has gone to serve for the U. S. A.
And we are praying he'll safely be.

Come my friends, come and pray
That soon our country will be free.

Our Father we come to thee today
With a heart seeking prayer
We have come to ask thee
To help us with our troubles
We have to bear.

Oh! yes, Oh God our troubles are many
But one is far greater than all
That one oh God
Is Hitler's world wide call

God! Spare us of the heart-breaking partings,
And the murder of man
And God Bless those who have given their lives to save our land.

Our Father help our brave Soldiers to stand
And bear their burdens like a man.

Then this war we're sure To win.

For the Soldiers and Uncle Sam are all blood kin.
We ask this of thee,
in the name of Jesus
Christ our Lord and our Saviour.—Amen.

Local Happenings

By Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.

EASTER HOLIDAY STUDENTS HERE

Among those who arrived from Colleges and schools for Easter Holidays with relatives were Joanne and Janette Lewis, Bearle Franklin and guest, Lester Barnes, from Kentucky Wesleyan College; Jerry Childers from Sayre, Patricia McClure from Transylvania, Mary Glenn Jenkins from Eastern State Teacher's College.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORING GUEST

Mrs. Maurice Lewis entertained on Wednesday afternoon with two tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. Bradley Taylor, visiting here from Henderson, S. C. Included were Mrs. Lee Moore, Mrs. Frank Maturo, Mrs. Paul Vermillion, Mrs. Emmett G. Fields, Mrs. Archie Craft, Mrs. J. E. Crawford and Mrs. Bill Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Astor Hogg, Harlan, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lewis.

TO RECEIVE BARS

On April 29th, Woodrow Dawahare will graduate from O. C. S. at Camp Lee in Virginia, and will receive the gold bars of a Second Lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Miller have as their guest, Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Susie Carroll of Chattanooga, Tenn. It was only a few months ago that Mr. Miller contacted his mother, through the column of Mr. Bert Vinsant of the Knoxville News Sentinel, which brought about their union after being separated since Mr. Miller was eighteen months old, when his father took him away from his mother and they lost complete knowledge of each other's whereabouts.

DINNER PARTY AT MOTHER CRAFT'S

Dr. and Mrs. Lee Moore were hosts at the Daniel Boone Dining Room on Tuesday evening, honoring their house guests, Dr. Bradley Taylor and Mrs. Taylor of Henderson, South Carolina. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Price, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holbrook, Mrs. Archie Craft, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maturo, Judge Lewis E. Harvie, Mrs. Bill Blair, Mrs. J. E. Crawford, Mrs. Emmett G. Fields, Mrs. Paul Vermillion, the guests of honor and the hosts.

EASTER BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR CRAFT FAMILY

The family of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Craft gathered at their home on Pine Creek to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Craft on Easter Sunday. Following the dinner an Easter Egg Hunt was enjoyed by the grandchildren. Birthday gifts were received by Mr. Craft. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Craft and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Craft and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft and family, Mr. and Mrs. Damon Kincer and family, Mrs. Grover Craft and children.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jarrett announce the birth of a son at their home in Whitesburg on Sunday, April 18th.

BENEFIT TEA FOR CANCER CONTROL

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. R. Dow Collins, Field worker for Cancer Control, will entertain with a benefit tea at her home from 3 to 5 P. M. to which all the ladies of the town are most cordially invited.

WOMAN'S CLUB APRIL GARDEN PROGRAM

The Woman's Club was given a special treat on Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Lewis Ammerman, as Garden Program leader, secured some interesting films on Victory Gardens and flower gardens, which were shown through the courtesy of Rev. L. O. Griffith and his motion picture machine, at the home of Mrs. Albert Jones. Special musical numbers were a vocal solo, "In My Garden," by Mrs. Albert Jones, a piano solo, "Country Gardens," by Miss Carolyn Hays. A salad course was served by the following hostesses Mrs. Troy Frazier, Mrs. Bruce Hays, Mrs. Roy Crawford and Mrs. J. B. McAuley.

TO ATTEND THE DABBY

Occupying a box at the Kentucky Derby on Saturday from Whitesburg will be Dr. Lee Moore, and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Price, Dr. T. R. Collier and Mrs. Collier.

EASTER EGG ROLLING

The Children's Division of the Methodist Sunday School had their annual Easter Egg Rolling on the lawn of Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr., on Sunday afternoon. Included were Ella Louise and Douglas Polly, Janice Deal McClure, Joyce Ann Quinlan, Bobby Marcum, Sammy Prichard, Ann Brown, Thula Jane Castle, Ralph Hill, Ronnie Adkins, Bronston Clay, Shirley Goodwin, Connie Jo Combs and Janet Combs. Assisting in entertaining were Rev. K. E. Hill, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Blaine Polly, Mrs. Combs, Miss Carlene Kilgore, Herma Jo Castle and Charlotte Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr., were visitors in Hazard on Thursday.

Business visitors in Hazard on Thursday were W. H. Lewis, Arthur Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hays.

Shopping in Hazard on Thursday were Mrs. Cossie Quillen, Mrs. Arnold Collins and Mrs. Bradley Bentley.

Mrs. Arnold Collins and children returned with Mr. Collins to Bristol, Tenn., on Monday, following a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams. Mr. Collins was a week end visitor here.

Mrs. Fult Combs and Mrs. H. Combs were shopping in Hazard on Thursday.

Pic Willie Francis returned to Camp Forrest, Tenn., after a ten days furlough with Mrs. Francis and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis.

Mrs. Lester Banks returned on Sunday to Radford, Virginia, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Routley.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Martin and children visited last week with Mr. Martin's relatives in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Staff Sergeant Raphael B. Salver was the dinner guest of Mrs. LeRoy Fields' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Martin, in Amityville, New York, on Sunday evening, when he was sent there on army affairs.

Miss Elline Salyer spent the past week end with friends at the Mammoth Cave National Park. They enjoyed a trip through the Cave.

Mrs. Frank Hall went with Mr. Hall on a business trip this week to Chillicothe, Ohio.

WEDDING

Lieut. Chas. O. Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blair, Jr. of this city, and Miss Evelyn Cunningham, daughter of J. O. Cunningham of Southdown were married in the Post Chapel at Camp Livingston, La., on Saturday evening, April 17, 1943.

Lieut. Blair is a graduate of Whitesburg High School and enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1923 and served three years in Hawaii where he was attached to the Military Police Company at Honolulu.

The bride was for several years, employed in the Post Office at Fleming, Ky.

Lieut. Blair was granted a ten-day leave and the couple are spending their honeymoon in Alexandria, Louisiana.

BETTY MILLER CIRCLE HELD ON THURSDAY

Mrs. Frank Maturo was hostess to the Betty Miller Circle of the Baptist Church on Thursday afternoon at her home on the Sandlick road. Included were Mrs. Henry Combs, Mrs. Delilah Wright, Mrs. Maurice Lewis, Mrs. Oscar Lewis, Mrs. Sam Collins, Mrs. Belle Hays, Mrs. Gail Whitaker and Rev. L. O. Griffith and Rev. D. C. Sparks.

MRS. N. M. WEBB TO ATTEND WEDDING OF SON IN ALABAMA

Mrs. N. M. Webb went on Sunday to Montgomery, Ala., to attend the wedding of her son, Lieut. Ralph Webb to Miss Virginia LeZier of Laurel, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Webb and son, Donald Woodford, went as far as Abingdon, Virginia with Mrs. Webb on Sunday. Miss Estevah Webb of Washington, D. C., will be an attendant in the wedding, which will take place near Napier Field on April 29th, the same day Lieut. Webb receives his "Wings."

"GOING AWAY" PARTY FOR MRS. MORGAN

A Going Away Party was given in honor of Mrs. Jim Morgan at the Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening, before her departure to Cincinnati, where she and her son, Johnnie, moved on last Sunday. Going Away gifts were received by Mrs. Morgan. Included were Mrs. John A. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Polly, Rev. and Mrs. Joe T. Sudduth, Mrs. Sallie Romeo, Mrs. John Craft, Miss Helen

Craft, Mrs. Boaz Adkins, Mrs. A. J. Leach, Mrs. Paul Vermillion, Miss Peggy Ann Leach and Miss Laura Lee Slemp.

METHODIST JUNIORS PRE-EASTER PARTY

On Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church Miss Carlene Kilgore entertained the Junior Department at a Pre-Easter Party. Included were A. F. Dawahare, Helen Williams, Sammy Prichard, Mary Eva Prichard, Rosa Lee Collins, Betty Jane and Monnie Jean Clay, Myrtle Fay Reynolds and Connie Jo Combs. Miss Kilgore was assisted in entertaining by Miss Elline Salyer.

ROTARIANS ATTEND DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The newly elected Rotary President, Mr. Oscar Lewis left early Sunday morning to attend the annual conference of the 163rd District Rotary International in Lexington. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lewis. An informal reception was given on Monday night. Also attending the conference was the out-going Rotary president, Mr. George Stewart.

HOMEMAKERS HEARD NOTED BRITISH LECTURER

Miss Hilda Beal, noted lecturer of York, England, was the principal speaker at the meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers at Pikeville on Monday. Those from Letcher County who went over in the Baptist Church bus were Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers, Mrs. Arch Adams, Mrs. J. L. Hays, Mrs. Lester Hammock, Mrs. Roy Lewis, Mrs. Henry Combs, Mrs. Tom Hale, Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, Mrs. Shorty Combs, Mrs. Frank Maturo, Mrs. Boaz Adkins, from Fleming, Mrs. R. S. Ramsey, Mrs. C. N. Tucker, Mrs. Mollie Reed, Mrs. Ethel Reed, Mrs. A. E. Quinlan and from Jenkins, Mrs. S. M. Hall, Mrs. Carlos Goble, Mrs. Steve Vernon, Mrs. J. W. Jesse, Mrs. R. F. Brady and daughter, Maryland, Mrs. L. J. Bowling, Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. John Arrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis and daughters, Christine and Anna Mae were business visitors in Knoxville early this week.

Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church

Joe T. Sudduth, Pastor
Rev. Edgerton Nix will be guest preacher at this church on Sunday, May 2. He will supply the pulpit in the absence of the Pastor, who is conducting revival services at the Highland Presbyterian Church and the Highland Institution at Guerrant, Breathitt County.

Sunday School will be conducted as usual at 10:00 A. M. The Vesper Meeting of the Young People of the Church will not be held this Sunday.

A cordial welcome awaits all who will attend our services.

Political Announcements

We are authorized to announce that JOHN S. WEBB, Whitesburg, Ky., is a candidate for Representative, Letcher District, Subject to the Democratic primary to be held Aug. 7, 1943.

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Stuart Robinson School News

Mrs. William Whitaker conducted a beautiful pre-Easter service in the auditorium at the prayer meeting hour last Wednesday evening, at which time she made a lovely talk. A group of girls and boys from Mrs. Whitaker's class room formed the choir, and Eleanor Rae Tolliver was pianist.

Misses Mary L. Ervin, Anne Graham, and Jennie Lee Crafton were invited to dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. D. W. Collins at Blackey on Thursday evening, and enjoyed their visit and the delicious meal to the fullest extent.

Members of the Freshman class and their sponsors, Misses Florence Gray and Esther Taggart, had a good time at a party in the gymnasium Friday evening. Unfortunately this was a rainy night, and some of the members of the class were not able to come, much to the regret of all the group.

Kitty Cooper's music recital on Saturday evening was a splendid success, and her teacher, Miss McNeill was indeed proud of her. Following the recital, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper entertained at a delightful reception in their home.

Just before breakfast on Sunday morning, a sunrise Easter service was held in front of the dining room. A beautiful talk was made by Miss Esther Taggart, and Miss Laura Grier read an original poem. The group was led in prayer by Rev. W. L. Cooper, and two hymns, "Christ Be Praised," and "Low in the Grave He Lay," were sung. The following poem was used as the closing prayer:

"God SAVE our splendid men,
Send them safe home again,
God SAVE our men,
Make them victorious,
Patient and chivalrous;
They are so dear to us,
God SAVE our men."

"God KEEP our own dear men

From every stain of sin,
God KEEP our men,
When Satan would allure,
When tempted, KEEP them pure;
Be their protection sure—
God KEEP our men."

"God HOLD our precious men
And love them to the end,
God HOLD our men,
Hold in Thine arms so strong;
To Thee they all belong—
Hold safe from every wrong,
God HOLD our men."

Early Sunday morning Misses Hattie Lee Faires and Mrs. Lucy F. Dunlap received a telegram from their home near Rock Hill, Sunday morning. Misses Hattie Lee Faires and Mrs. Lucy F. Dunlap received a telegram from their home near Rock Hill, Sunday morning. Misses Hattie Lee Faires and Mrs. Lucy F. Dunlap received a telegram from their home near Rock Hill, Sunday morning.

The following girls and boys are members of the Good Citizens Club at the present time: Jacqueline Combs, Helen Cornett, Tommie Jean Cornett, Wanda Creech, Mary Greer, Justine Shively, Colleen Wright, Alene Frazier, Helen Frazier, Lula McCray, Wilma Jean Collins, Jean Croucher, Kitty Cooper, Bobby Ruth Akers, Joyce Akers, Wanda Faye Good, Eva Taylor, Faye Smith, Wanda Wright, Lucy Ann Dunlap, Joyce Croucher, Mary Anne Worth, Billie Sue Franklin, Ethel Sergeant, Richard Crabtree, Carl Ayers, Gene Rose, Wesley Amburgey, Bill Worth, Johnny Buckhold, Bobby Combs, John Arnold Day, Jimmy Hall, Kenneth Meadows, Eddie Pitts, Cleon Smith, J. W. Tolliver, Junior Croucher, and Douglas Williams.

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The Mountain Eagle,
Whitesburg, Ky.

Dear Friends:

Just a couple of lines to give you my new address and to tell you how much I really enjoy getting The Eagle. The family writes often but I really rely on The Eagle to tell me ALL of the news.

I have been transferred here to help set up a defense of the defense industries here in Buffalo and its keeping me pretty busy, but I hope I never get a job that will keep me so busy I can't sit down and read The Eagle all the way through.

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FLEMING NEWS

Chilton Hazelett of Kingsport is home on the sick list this week.

Word was received last week of the arrival of a fine big boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bryant of Kingsport, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant were former residents of Fleming.

Miss Mildred Smith and Miss Loreen Keese of Baltimore, Md., were in Fleming visiting friends and relatives this week.

Miss Marie Bryant was a week end visitor in Hazard.

Cpl. Harold T. Nicholson, a paratrooper of Camp Mackall, N. C., is visiting his mother this week.

Mrs. Bob Bryant is in the Fleming Hospital ill this week.

On Tuesday night of last week, the girls from the Fleming Store and soda fountain sponsored a farewell shower in the Lodge Hall, honoring Mrs. Carrie Kirtpatrick who left Friday for Norfolk, Va., to join Mr. Kirtpatrick. Carrie has worked in the soda fountain for the past 15 years and will be greatly missed by her many friends and the public. A large crowd attended this party and Carrie received many lovely gifts. Games and refreshments were enjoyed throughout the evening. Then all wished Carry much happiness and luck in her new home.

Mr. Bascom Peters of Norfolk, Va., came in last week to drive through with Mrs. Peters and son Jackie and Mrs. Gene Kirtpatrick, who left Friday to make their home there.

Mrs. John Pinkerton and children of Van Lear, Ky., were the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Goldie Hawley and family.

Mrs. Irene Hawley Conley has been at Daniel Field, Augusta, Ga., for the past two weeks visiting her husband, Pvt. Homer Conley.

Mrs. Goldie Hawley received an announcement last week of the marriage of her daughter, Wanda of Owensboro, Ky., to S-Sgt. Ernest Freeman. Wanda is with her husband at present in Camp McCain, Miss., but plans are to visit her mother in Fleming soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Reed of Big Stone Gap, Va., were week end guests in Fleming.

Archie Hazelett is visiting home folks in Huntington, W. Va., this week.

Mrs. Jake Adkins remains very ill at her home in Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Steph-

ens received more word last week from the government, stating that their son, Lonnie who was reported seriously wounded is improving normally.

Mrs. Joe Camp Sorrell and small son, Mackey, who have been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sammy McCowan, returned to Morehead, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Robbins and family of Clinchco, Va., visited Mr. Robbins' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fleenor, Sunday.

Middle Milestone 4-H Club News

The Millstone 4-H Club met April 15, on Thursday. We had a nice meeting. The girls have started on their sewing projects and boys on their victory gardens.

The president and vice-president were not present but we are hoping to have them with us in the next meeting.

Two of the larger girls are planning to meet with the smaller ones each Thursday and help them with their sewing.

There were 13 present at this meeting and we expect more next time.

Lora Lou Bentley made a talk, "How to Take Care of Milk."

Novella Taylor also spoke on "What to do with Skim Milk."

We are working to have the best 4-H Club in the County.
NOVELLA TAYLOR,
Reporter.

What the Pine Creek 4-H Club Is Doing

1. The Pine Creek boys and girls are getting ready for summer and fall exhibit.

2. The boys of Pine Creek have their potatoes planted and the girls are working on their garments.

3. The girls meet at Mrs. Ben A. Adams every Friday evening for their sewing class.

The Pine Creek 4-H Club held its regular meeting April 16th. We sang a song and gave the pledge to the flag.

Our leaders are Mrs. Ben A. Adams and Mrs. Oscar Pace. The officers are as follows:

President—Ishmael Craft
Vice-President—Arthur Adams
Secretary—Ethel Pace
Treasurer—Dallas June Craft

News Reporter—Nancy E. Craft
Song and Cheer Leader—Pauline Arthur

We all enjoyed our meeting and hope to have Mr. Hurst and Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers at our next meeting.

NANCY E. CRAFT,
Reporter.

Camp Branch News

Pvt. Ellis Thomas arrived from Tennessee last week for a brief furlough with his wife who has been sick.

Miss Lucy Hoitsma of Democrat was a guest of Mrs. G. G. Reed from Sunday until Tuesday.

Frank Anderson left last week for Cincinnati, where he has obtained employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Taylor are the proud parents of another little son, born to them a week or so ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sergeant, Thornton Gap, have welcomed another little daughter into their home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor have sold their home at the head of Sugar Run to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook, who are now occupying it.

Mrs. Earl Yeager returned a short time ago from Colorado, where her husband had been stationed until he was transferred to California. Mrs. Yeager is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor.

Church was held last Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Thomas,

Cane Hollow.

Friends and relatives have been watching day and night at the bedside of Mrs. John Niece, who remains extremely sick at her home.

A large landslide was removed from the Camp Branch road last Thursday, and on Friday regular mail service was resumed, after a four-day interruption.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenville Thomas returned a few days ago from Fleming, where Mrs. Thomas was a patient in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Caudill are receiving congratulations on the birth of a little daughter, Elizabeth Sue, last Friday.

Boys Sunday School observed Easter with a special program of music and recitations. Mrs. Joseph Proffitt and Joseph Proffitt, Jr., sang two duets with guitar accompaniment. Mrs. Frank Anderson's class of Junior girls gave an Easter song, and the Intermediate Boys' Class presented an Easter Scripture exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucas have moved back to Camp Branch from Thornton, and are occupying their home at Thornton Gap. Mr. Lucas is in very poor health.

The S. Y. B. Club held its annual Easter Egg Hunt at the home of Mrs. G. G. Reed last Saturday. Prizes were won by Jeanette Niece, Vera Proffitt, and Geneva Niece.

Mrs. Floyd Boatright, Mrs. Coy Taylor, and Miss Vesta Proffitt left last Monday morning for Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson, and infant son, and Mr. James Richardson left recently for Louisville where the men have obtained defense positions.

Mrs. Ira Mullins and children spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mason, Schoolhouse Branch.

San Juan, P. R., April 21—Richard Vanhooze, of Jenkins, Ky., has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant in the Army Air Corps, it was announced here at headquarters of the Antilles Air Task Forces.

Sgt. Vanhooze entered the Army on March 19, 1941, at Norton, Va., and joined his present unit on December 8, 1942. He was promoted to the rank of Private First Class on June 18, 1942; to Corporal on December 17, 1942, and now is stationed at one of the tropical air bases guarding the vital approach to the Caribbean area.

Born on February 18, 1922, at Betsy Lane, Ky., Sgt. Vanhooze is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oaker Vanhooze, of Jenkins. He attended grammar and high school at Jenkins and the Fort Benning School of Cooking.

JEREMIAH NEWS

Miss Estie Caudill went to Hazard and gave a pint of blood to the Red Cross. That is the nicest news we know of, and we are glad one of our girls has the right spirit which will help keep our boys fighting.

Mrs. Bill Palmer has a new baby girl. Both mother and baby are doing fine. The father, Pfc. Bill Palmer is in California.

J. D. Dixon is going out of the goods business for the summer and going to farm.

Mrs. Willie J. Back is visiting her home up at Marlowe this week. Pauline Back is visiting Misses Estie and Bertha Caudill this week.

Robert Ison is building a new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Smith have moved up on Drew Branch.

It has been so wet people can't do much farming but we all have onions large enough to eat.

Mr. Tinsley Ison purchased the lower end of J. T. Smith's barn.

Mr. J. E. Caudill is doing nicely in the goods business.

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THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"Judge, I didn't realize till the other night when I ran across an article in the paper what a whale of a lot of industrial alcohol the government needs for the war."

"I should say it does, Chet. I understand the beverage distillers around the country are producing about 240,000,000 gallons of industrial alcohol this year for ammunition, tires,

and other things. I'd say it's mighty fortunate these distilleries are available to do the job. Otherwise, if we still had prohibition, the government would have had to spend millions of dollars and use up a lot of critical materials to build plants...to say nothing of all the time it would take. It might have been just another case of 'too little, too late'."

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Smoot Creek News

(by Ruby J. Frazier)

Mrs. Millard Frazier and four children of Premium were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier and family. Mrs. Lindsay Spangler and family of Harvinton is gone to Pennsylvania to her husband where he is working on a government farm. Miss Edith Eldridge, Miss Rudell Caudill of Premium, Miss Ellen Eldridge and Mrs. Ralph Caudill, Melvin Frazier, George Ann Frazier, Ruby J. Frazier, Denver Maggard, Cecil Maggard, and Ballard Maggard were all week end guests on Breedings Creek at Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Maggard. All enjoyed Saturday night and Sunday with plenty of good things to eat. We met with so many nice people on Breedings Creek and enjoyed being with them. Mr. Ivor Maggard of Breedings Creek took us all for a nice truck ride on such a beautiful day.

Miss Audra Adams of Charlestown, Ind., spent a week with her father, Mr. Clint Adams.

We received news today from the War Department that our cousin, Monroe Combs, the son of Mr. Jim Combs was in prison in the Philippines and he was all right. Everybody was pleased to hear that he was still living. He had been reported missing over a year ago. The neighborhood was all pleased to hear he was all O. K.

We had a nice meeting Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Windell Amburgey's. His wife was baptized, a large crowd attended and enjoyed the meeting.

Mrs. Fred Frazier of Premium is seriously ill at this writing in the Harlan Hospital but little hope is held for her recovery.

Well, everybody here is beginning to plow and get ready to plant corn, they thank the rain is over hope so for a while Miss Beatrice and Mary Frazier of Charlestown, Ind. spent a few days last week with their mother, Mrs. Millard Frazier of Premium. Also Mary's boy friend came with her.

Miss Lola and Lavinia Frazier of Premium spent the week end with Miss Cinda Hemphill of Breedings Creek.

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Mill Branch 4-H Club News

(Jim T. Caudill, Reporter)
The Mill Branch 4-H Club met on Saturday afternoon, April 17th, for our regular meeting. We had with us at this time Mr. Hurst, County Agent, and Mr. Brown, our new club assistant.

After the meeting was called to order, pledges given, our song leaders led us in singing some songs.

We discussed our projects and Mr. Hurst and Mr. Brown talked about our project work and urged us to get our projects started.

We planned at this time to have a picnic on Easter Sunday.

There were about twenty club members attended the picnic. We cooked our dinner out side and had a real good day.

Our next meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon, May 15th.

One of our former members and leader, Everett Lee Caudill who is now in the Air Force at Johnson Field, N. C., sent our club members and leaders a letter. It reads as follows:

800 T. S. S.
Becks. T-1050
Seymour Johnson Field,
North Carolina

To The 4-H Club Leaders and Members of the Mill Branch 4-H Club:

Being a former member and leader of the Mill Branch 4-H Club and being very much interested in 4-H Club work, I feel it my duty to write a letter to the Club.

I have been in this Army for two months and pretty well know the routine of it now. I have been in three training camps and have lived in Hotels, Barracks and Tents. I have drilled and hepped, hepped

hour after hour. I have been on long marches in mud and dust, in scorching heat and bitter cold, and in rain and snow. I've listened to lecturers and pep talks, stood guard and worked K.P. which might mean washing greasy dishes all day. It is no picnic and everything is G. I. and isn't what I was used to back home.

Along with me, doing all these things, are men from every corner of this country, men from the farms, the side walks, factories, offices, white washed villages, scroggly settlements, back country hills, and city palaces. All are cheerful about all their duties and the most important thing that I can say my 4-H Club work helped me develop is the ability to cooperate with others.

There is nothing too hard for a Soldier in the United States and no hours too long when he thinks of his pals on the battle fronts. On fronts all the way from New Guinea to North Africa. That makes a great deal of difference with the soldiers still training.

In this Army we are learning more than how to get tough, and to use weapons placed in our hands to put out of business white and yellow Aryans and their new Order or Co. prosperity sphere. What we learn is this Army isn't maybe all we'll need when it comes to fighting Japs and Germans. We'll find out more about that when we get there, but one thing we do learn is co-operation.

We realize that we do have a big job to do and we know that it requires cooperation. The people on the home front have a big part to play in this war and the 4-H Club Members, by cooperating together, can help do this.

Remember what ever you do, it is not nearly as hard and your sacrifices are not nearly

Whitesburg Locals

—v—
—by Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETIES ENTERTAINED

The Grace Hudson Circle of Baptist Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. H. Lewis on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Troy Frazier, as joint hostess. Mrs. Lester Hammock had charge of the program. Included were Mrs. Arthur Dixon, Mrs. R. Dow Collins, Mrs. A. C. Adams, Mrs. Thos. Hale, Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, Mrs. Cann Bentley, Mrs. W. C. Montgomery, Mrs. Hood, Mrs. L. O. Griffith, Mrs. M. D. Lewis, Mrs. Arlie Boggs and Mrs. Hazel B. Childers.

HOMEMAKERS HEARD NOTED BRITISH LECTURER

Miss Hilda Beal, noted lecturer of York, England, was the principal speaker at the Eastern District Meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers held in Pikeville on Monday. Miss Beal spoke on the subject, "Women in Wartime Britain." Other speakers were Mrs. Ralph Searce of Shelby County, president of the State Federation, Miss Mena Hogan, Washington, field agent, southern states and Miss Myrtle Weldon, state leader of home demonstration works. Mrs. Escam Chandler of Johnson County, district director, presided at the meeting. Group singing was led by Mrs. Foster Apple of Pike County. Counties represented were Bell, Breathitt, Boyd, Greenup, Harlan, Johnson, Laurel, Letcher, Perry and Pike.

as great as the boys on the battle fronts.

Hoping to see you soon,
Former Leader,
LEE.

There were twenty-four women attending from Letcher County and their transportation was furnished by the Baptist Church bus.

—v—
Mrs. Jerry Montgomery of Stamping Ground, and her daughter, Jane, have been the guests of Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Mery Caudill. Also visiting here was Dr. Harrison Gibson from Akron, Ohio.

—v—
Mrs. Joe T. Sudduth attended a Presbyterian Synodical meeting in Jackson last week and was one of the principal speakers.

—v—
Mrs. Glenn Spradlin, Lexington, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lynch, since Mr. Spradlin's induction in the Army. They have been for the past few months in Lexington.

—v—
Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Day, and Miss Bonnie Combs who have been in the Lewis Apartments this winter, have moved to their country home on the Smoot Creek road.

—v—
Mr. M. K. Marlowe, Lexington was a business visitor on Monday.

—v—
Mr. S. M. Childers was called to Great Lakes Naval Training Station because of the death of his nephew. He went there on Monday.

—v—
Mrs. S. M. Childers and son, Tommy, went on Monday to Lexington, accompanying Miss Jerry Childers to Sayre College, after an Easter week end with her parents here.

—v—
Mrs. C. G. Passmore, Norton, was called last week to Louisville because of the serious illness of her mother. Dr. Passmore will go down to attend the Derby and they will return to Norton by way of Whitesburg for a short visit with friends here on Sunday.

—v—
Rev. D. C. Sparks and Mrs. Sparks returned to their home at Manchester, on Saturday, after closing successful Revival Services at the Baptist Church.

—v—
Sam Collins, Jr., employed in defense in Kingsport, was the week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins.

—v—
Nick Wright is employed in defense in Detroit, Michigan.

—v—
Windus Williams, Henry Sergeant and daughter, Miss Lenore Sergeant went recently to Baltimore, Md., to work in Defense.

—v—
Pvt. Delmer Whitaker, of the Army Air Corps and in camp in Florida, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Whitaker.

—v—
Glider Pilot Leland Jones, who was transferred last week to Bowman Field, enjoyed a short leave with Mrs. Jones and daughters. He expects to return again at the coming week end for another visit with homefolks. He received training for the past eight months in California and Texas.

—v—
Mrs. Ben Sergeant has returned from Lexington where she was a patient for several days in the St. Joseph Hospital.

—v—
Henry Taylor, Louisville, was the week end guest of Mrs. Taylor and son, Robert Conrad.

—v—
Miss Blanche Hogg, Lexington, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mahala Hogg at Roxana.

—v—
Mr. Wilson Renaker, and daughter, Lena Lee, and Mrs. Archie Craft went on Monday to Asheville, N. C.

—v—
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nolan had as their guests last week Mrs. Nolan's sisters, Mrs. George Beckett, Hamilton, Ohio and Miss Anna Laura

Miller of Irvine, Ky.

BIRTHDAY DINNER HONORING YE EDITOR

Mrs. W. P. Nolan entertained to chicken dinner in honor of Mr. Nolan on his birthday, on Friday evening. Guests included the Eagle Force, Mr. and Mrs. Parnell Johnson, Miss Charlie Frazier and Miss Hazel Ison.

—v—
Corporal Lucien Bates returned on April 25th to Camp Hulen, Texas, after a ten days furlough spent with Mrs. Bates and their two children, Edwin Gervous and Gwendolyn Ann.

PIANO RECITAL ON MAY 7TH

Mrs. L. O. Griffith will present her music class in a formal Piano Recital on the evening of May seventh, in the Auditorium of the Baptist Church, to which the public is invited.

—v—
Shirley Fields of Smoot Creek is the guest this week of Connie Jo and Janet Combs. While her sister Glendora Fields is visiting at the home of her grandfather, Mr. Kelly Fields.

LIEUT. ARCHIE REED FIELDS' LEAVE ENDS

On April 18th, Lieut. Archie Reed Fields left for Dallas, Texas, after an extended leave with Mrs. Fields here and other relatives. He had been wounded in action in the Pacific and was given a long leave to recuperate. He has been transferred to Naval Air Corps and begins his training in Dallas. Mrs. Fields will join him when school closes here.

—v—
Second Class Seaman, Colton Adams, arrived here from school in Norfolk for a furlough with relatives. His father, Captain Townsel Adams came in on Monday night from Fort Douglas, Michigan to visit here at the same time.

—v—
Steve Hansford Bowen, pre-Med. student at Milligan College, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cash Bowen on Sunday and Monday.

MONDAY NIGHT SEWING CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. B. C. Bach entertained her Sewing Club on Monday night. Those sewing were Mrs. Henry Taylor, Mrs. Rolan Price, Mrs. J. L. Hays, Mrs. Bradley Goodwin, and Mrs. Lewis Ammerman.

—v—
Dr. B. C. Bach spent last week in Cincinnati and Lexington.

—v—
Miss Viola Cook, Lynch, was an Easter Holiday visitor in Whitesburg.

—v—
Miss Hazel Fields, employed in Pittsburg, Pa., will spend two weeks vacation with her parents, Judge R. Monroe Fields and Mrs. Fields.

THE MOORE BOYS IN SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Miles E. Moore have been most happy this past week to have their young son, Marine Pvt. Edwin

Lee Moore here on furlough from Paris Island, S. C., leaving on Tuesday he will go to Miami and later he will sail for foreign service.

—v—
Their older son, after six weeks basic training at Camp Crowder, Mo., has been promoted to Corporal Gene Moore.

—v—
Miss Gertrude Draughn spent the past week end in Lexington.

—v—
Mr. Walter Kries who has been ill for several days has gone to the home of his parents in Harriman, Tenn., for a rest.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Mrs. J. L. Hays was hostess to the Woman's Society of Christian Service at her home on Tuesday evening, with Mrs. C. L. Kilgore in charge of the program. Subject, "The Discovery and Training of Native Leadership in South America." Included were Mrs. W. E. Cook, Mrs. Bertie Moffatt, Mrs. Miles E. Moore, Mrs. K. E. Hill, Mrs. L. W. Fields, Mrs. Hester Salyer and Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.

—v—
Dr. R. Dow Collins went this week to Mammoth Cave to attend a Public Health Meeting. He was accompanied by Mrs. Collins.

LETTER TO THE EAGLE

1263 West First St.,
Dayton, Ohio.
April 19, 1943.

Dear friends: How are you all. I am here in Dayton working in Wright Field Signal Corps. I am too old to fight but I can help out and do my part by working in a war plant. I believe every man should do his part. If he is too old to fight in the Army, he can help make and get what is needed to the men and boys who are fighting for us, and our country. So I am doing my part.

As my friends know I have announced for Representative for the Letcher District. I am enclosing a list of some things that I am in favor of and will do what ever I can to get it done.

I am,
Yours truly,
JESSE C. DAY.

TO THE VOTERS OF LETCHER COUNTY:

If I am nominated and elected your Representative here are some of the things that I want done, and will do all that I can to get done.

1. To get the Cowan-Linefork road made a part of the State primary highway system. From Highway 15 West End of Whitesburg to Pine Mountain School to connect with highway leading to Harlan.

2. The road from Cowan down Kentucky River via Uz, and Roxana to Blackey to connect with highway leading to Hazard. So that they can be let to contract when the State sees fit to do so.

3. To pay all old age pensions from \$15.00 up to \$30, according to their needs but no one to be paid less than

\$15 per month.

4. I believe the State Income tax law should be repealed as we are already heavily burdened with taxes.

I will have more to say from time to time.

I thank you,

JESSE C. DAY.

(P. I. Adv.)

The Bottom Fork 4-H Club News

—v—
The 4-H Club of Bottom Fork met on April 17, their regular meeting time. 18 members were present, and enjoyed a nice program on milk—and its importance and care.

—v—
The 4-H girls are making good headway on their sewing.

—v—
Some of the boys are worried about their potatoes because of the cold and snow. The club is hoping for a good farming season.

—v—
The games supplied by Mrs. Rogers were enjoyed very much.

AILEEN WEBB,
News Reporter.

Pvt. Bob Prichard from Camp McCoy, Wis., has been spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Jo Ann Prichard.

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Notice of Prohibition Election!

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TO THE VOTERS OF LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY:

There will be an election at the various places of voting in Letcher County, Kentucky, on the 31st day of May, 1943, same being Monday, the polls opening at 6:00 A. M. and closing at 4:00 P. M.

Upon the question as to whether or not spirituous, vinous and malt liquors shall be sold, bartered, possessed, transported or loaned therein.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Letcher County, Kentucky, this 5th day of April, 1943.

GILBERT POLLY,
Sheriff, Letcher County, Kentucky.

Women!
Here is a name to remember

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A 62 year record of 2-Way help*

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The rest-pause that refreshes
Welcome in peace...
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WAR production needs are pressing. No time can be wasted on the job. Rest-pauses planned and timed are the efficient way to make every minute count. They lessen tension, break monotony, and increase output. Add refreshment to a rest-pause and you promote worker-contentment.

Ice-cold Coca-Cola is refreshment that does more than quench thirst. Drink it and you feel and enjoy a refreshing after-sense. Its clean, exciting taste always pleases, never tires. Coca-Cola offers something extra. All the difference between something really refreshing and just something to drink.

Letters from plant managers from coast to coast emphasize that the little moment for an ice-cold Coca-Cola means a lot to workers in war plants. It's a refreshing moment on the sunny side of things... a way to turn to refreshment without turning from work.



You work better when you are contented on the job. Remember, contentment comes when you connect with a Coke.

The best is always the better buy!

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Control, in the form of prohibition, can do what repeal does not try to do.

Even those who sell the stuff admit that the business needs to be controlled.

Let's control it by working for the dry movement, and by voting "Yes" on May 31st.

LETCHER COUNTY LIQUOR CONTROL ASSOCIATION.

(Adv) THOS. B. HALE, Chairman.

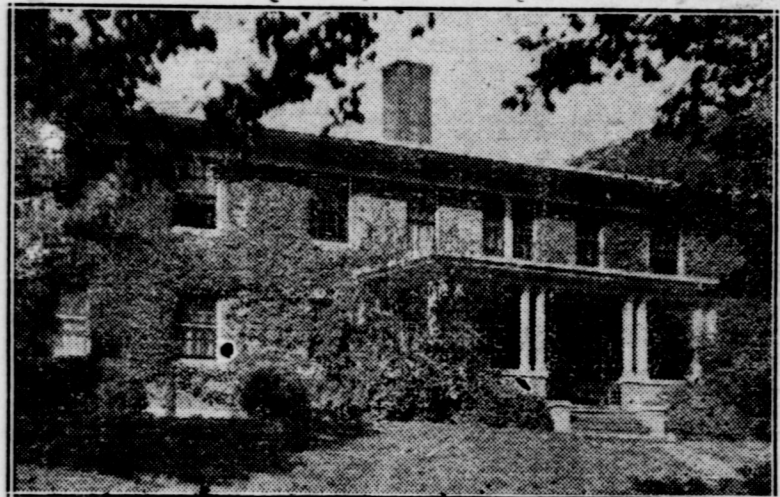
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Whitesburg, Kentucky

JENKINS NEWS

(by Mrs. O. O. Parks)

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

The Woman's Club met Wednesday, April 21st at the Lakeside Club House with luncheon at 1:30 P. M.

Program—
Song—God Bless America.
Invocation by Mrs. J. W. Jessee.

Solo—Carolyn Houglin accompanied at the piano by Miss Rebecca Brown.

Speaker—Mrs. Boatright of Coeburn, Va. State Governor of Woman's Club. Her talk was VERY interesting and inspiring.

Report of new officers by Mrs. Jessee.

President—Mrs. Carl Fitzpatrick.

Vice-Pres. Mrs. Hobart Hunter.

2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Oscar Parks.

Secretary—Mrs. Veda Wolfe.

Treasurer—Mrs. L. J. Bowling.

A standing vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Margaret Stump, hostess for her hospitality.

Meeting adjourned.

Luncheon Menu—Pineapple Juice, fried chicken, gravy, hot rolls, candied sweet potatoes, green lima beans, slaw, ice cream, angel food cake and coffee.

Guests for luncheon—Mrs. Boatright, Mrs. J. W. Jessee, Mrs. Carl Fitzpatrick, Mrs. T. M. Perry, Miss Elsie Johnson, Mrs. T. D. Vaughan, Mrs. R. L. Blake, Mrs. J. M. Stauffer, Mrs. Oscar Parks, Mrs. Paul Ashcraft, Mrs. Margaret Stump, Miss Dorothy Smith, Mrs. L. J. Bowling, Miss Clara Shaw, Miss Smith, Mrs. John Arrington, Miss Kelly, and Mrs. Chas. Turner.

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SERVICE BOYS

Several of our service boys were visiting relatives and friends this week—among them were Sgt. R. M. Gumm of Fort Bliss, Texas; Cpl. H. C. Owens, Marine Corps, Quantico, Va.;

Ervin Whitaker, U. S. Navy, Great Lakes, Ill.; Pvt. Johnny Mullins, M. P., Austin, Texas. Pvt. Edward Chance, Camp Van Dorn, Miss., and Bud Bise who recently returned to the States from Guadalcanal after serving eighteen months in active service. He was in Pearl Harbor when bombed and in hospital for some time from injuries received, was decorated twice including the coveted "Purple Heart."

On display at the Recreation Building are several souvenirs he brought back with him, such as bayonets, sword, cartridges, photographs, etc.

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WEDDING

A very quiet but beautiful wedding was performed April 23rd, 1943 at 10 A. M., in the Methodist Church when Miss Ella Mae Best formerly of Jenkins became the bride of R. M. Gumm of Scottsville, Ky., now stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas.

Rev. J. S. Hale and Rev. A. D. Houglin officiating. The only attendant of the bride

was her sister, Mrs. Palmer Scott.

Mr. Sterling Welch served the groom as best man.

The bride was married in a beautiful aqua blue wool suit with gold accessories and carried a bride's bouquet of talisman roses and gardenias.

Witnessing the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Horne.

The bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for a short honeymoon in Lexington and Scottsville, Ky.

They will be at home soon in El Paso, Texas.

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BRIDGE

The Thursday bridge club met at 2:00 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Oscar Parks.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Frank Price, Mrs. Margaret Stump, Mrs. Howard Burpo, Mrs. Virginia Perry, Mrs. Fred Wommack, Mrs. Lenora Stauffer, and Mrs. John Turner. Cakes, nabs, potato chips and Colas were served. Defense Stamps went to Mrs. Parks, high score.

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Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Perry entertained the Medical Staff for dinner Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Guests were Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Munn, Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Brady, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Houze, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Wommack and Dr. and Mrs. John Turner.

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Mrs. Margaret Stump is spending Easter with home-folks in Louisa, Ky.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Hunter and Mrs. Paul Ashcraft were shopping in Bristol Tuesday.

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Mrs. F. Leonard Farinash who has been visiting parents was called to Tucson, Arizona last week on account of accident to her husband, Lt. Farinash. He is recovering nicely.

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Mrs. John Webb and baby of Wheelwright were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Hughes last week.

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Miss Helen Crosley was house guest of Mrs. H. L. Owens this week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Doolittle Jr. now living in Pikeville were visiting friends in Jenkins, Easter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Darnley and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker of Newport News, Va., spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Darnley.

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Bruce Kegan formerly of Jenkins has just returned from Hawaii after serving eighteen months in active service—he is at the present visiting his father, Barney Kegan of Baltimore.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Farinash spent this week end in Huntington.

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Mrs. Andrew Franklin and Mrs. Jack Harter and baby daughter were visitors in Hazard on Thursday.

Jenkins Methodist**Church Notes**

Sunday is Go to Sunday School Day. Let EVERYBODY go to Sunday School and Church on this day. Our goal is two hundred plus for Sunday. Let us even boost it to 250.

The pastor will speak Sunday night on "THE WILDEST PARTY EVER STAGED." This will interest young people particularly. Come to these great Sunday night revival services. Next Sunday the topic will be the TEN BIGGEST SINS OF TODAY and the person submitting a correct list will be given a prize.

The padlock service Sunday night was a great success. Those bringing locks were, Bobby Joe Elam, the smallest lock; Barbara Kegan, the rustiest lock; Grace Estes, the largest lock; Joyce Hanners, the heaviest lock; Bill Jordan, the shiniest lock; others Sarah Johnson, Theda Jewell Bryant, Elva Gambil, Mrs. W. R. Blevins, Mrs. W. R. Beverley, the Bible, and Mrs. Will Bevins. Each person received a Bible or portion of scripture or some other token.

Sunday School attendance Sunday was 188 a record attendance and the largest Sunday morning service in a long time. The pastor baptized or received the following Easter Class of new members: Buddy Joe Holcomb; Kyle Estes, James Morris Johnson, Doris Green, Thelma Gilliam, Eula Mae Bowling, Bobby Joe Elam, Margaret Ann Lawson, Mary Carolyn Houglin, Theda Jewell Bryant, Grace Estes, Peggy Wolfe, Jane Hunter, Martha Jane McClellan, Nancy Brown, Barbara Meredith, Joyce Shelby, Charles McDonough, Paul Ashcraft, Jr., Virginia Holtzclaw, Joan Ashcraft, Barbara Ruthford, Betty Kegan, Seth Kegan, Jr., Marjorie Varson, Arch Benton Meredith, Jr., Sarah Johnson. By letter Mrs. Margaret Fulton Mrs. Arch Meredith, Miss Christine Cline. Others recognized or to be received, Howard Riffe and James Bryant, a total of thirty-four.

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Caudill and Sandlick

News

(by Daisy Halcomb)

Harold Lawson is still getting along nicely, his friends all wish he can get well and walk again.

Mrs. Rachel Frances Wills is visiting her mother-in-law in Virginia.

Mrs. Curt Caudill is very ill but we hope she is able to be up again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Craft and son, Arthur are visiting with Mrs. Jim Halcomb over the week end.

Mrs. Cecil Hatter and son Dickey spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Maggard.

Mr. Woodrow Miller was a proud boy Thursday evening when he met the 8:00 o'clock bus and his mother stepped off the bus. It was the first time in life she had had the pleasure of spending a few days with her son whom she was always told was dead, until a year ago. She still had hopes he was alive and by broadcasting over the Radio and by the help of Bert Vincent he was found. He was the happiest boy on earth to know he could see his mother whom he never could remember seeing. She lives at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Dicy Combs is on the sick list again and her son, Dennis Combs has been very sick. Dennis puts all his trust in the Lord, the one whom he knows is able to help him.

Mallie Dixon, Ruth Fugate, Bethel Back and Kermit Combs of Vicco were Sunday guests of Miss Mary Francis. They all had a nice time on Easter. They caught the 8:00 o'clock bus, taking Mary back with them for a few days.

Mrs. Buck Kincer of Kona is visiting her mother, Mrs.



In 1885 the first Dr. Pepper was created. This exclusive flavor creation of which you'll never tire has won an ever-widening circle of friends. Teddy Roosevelt's Rough Riders discovered and loved it in 1898. In 1917 a far greater "Dr. Pepper army" went with Pershing to Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel and the Meuse-Argonne. In 1943 the third generation of Dr. Pepper drinkers is answering the call of its country.

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Whitesburg, Ky.

Phone No. 8

Dicy Combs who is very ill.

Remember the 2nd Saturday and Sunday in June the Memorial Funeral of Margaret Louise Maggard will be preached at the Sandlick Church. Everybody is invited to attend.

FLEMING NEWS

Mrs. Lucille and Mr. James Collins are the proud parents of a son, James Dennis Collins, born March 19 in Springfield City Hospital. Mrs. Collins was the former Miss Lucille Gibson, a teacher of Hammond School.

The father, James Collins is a carpenter foreman in the city of Springfield. The two uncles in the service sent their congratulations to the new baby. They are Seaman Vernard Collins, U. S. N. of Great Lakes, Ill., and Pfc. L. A. Gibson, U. S. N., of Keeler Field, Miss.

Mrs. John A. Webb returned last week from a visit in Louisville, where four of her children are now living. She had a most enjoyable visit with them.

Emmett G. Fields was a business visitor in Lexington during last week.

THE DOGWOOD TREES

One day I saw a Dogwood tree with rough unsightly bows I thought the tree had long been dead but you should see it now.

Many other trees around had heard the call of Spring. The agelie and the red bud trees with beauty were aflame.

Today I passed that way again and Lo what a glorious sight, The Dogwood tree I thought was dead is now a snowy white.

The twisted limbs that looked quite dead had heeded nature's call, Her pretty leaves will soon come out and flourish until fall.

How much are we like Dogwood trees life's seasons come and go

We're born on earth and live a while and then we too must go.

But all of us who die in Christ some day will awakened be,

And we'll put on our snow white robes

Just like the dogwood trees.

—Mrs. Jno. Venters,
April 26, 1943.

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IF DRINK Has HURT You - VOTE 'YES' May 31st

LETCHER COUNTY LIQUOR

CONTROL ASSOCIATION.

THOS. B. HALE, Chairman.

(Adv)

SEASONAL FARM WORKERS WANTED

TO PRODUCE FOOD WHICH WILL HELP WIN THE WAR.

There is a considerable shortage of farm labor this season in Connecticut Valley. Food is so badly needed that the Government is willing to pay for the transportation (including meals enroute) and locate a job for workers who are not employed in the mines or other defense jobs. Farmers and farm boys who are producing individually less than eight war units will qualify provided they are between the ages of 17 and 55, strong and able to work.

The work will last about 6 months; 6 days to the week and 9 hours to the day. Wages will be 45c per hour. Good board and lodging may be had for \$7.50 per week. Workers will be leaving Whitesburg on Monday of each week until we are further notified. If you are not fully employed and can help in this very important work, ask at the office of Farm Security Administration or County Agriculture Agent which are located in the basement of the Post Office Building, Whitesburg, Ky.

18TH ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY HELD IN JACKSON

The Eighteenth Annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, Presbytery of Guerrant was held in the Guerrant Memorial Presbyterian Church Jackson on April 13 and 14. The Presbyterial President, Mrs. Howard Parker, presided over all meetings. The Theme of the meeting was "About Our Father's Business Today." The reports of all officers were made and filed.

Mrs. Wm. C. Worth, Blackey, led us in our Bible Study; Miss Charlotte McMurray, Guerrant, spoke to the group on the Challenge of Missions; Dr. W. B. Sullivan, Lexington, brought a message on "Our Program in Religious Education"; and Mrs. Kerr Taylor, Nashville, was our inspirational speaker at the evening meeting. The next annual meeting will be held in Hazard. The incoming officers are: President, Mrs. Howard Parker, Jackson; Vice-President, Mrs. D. B. Snowden, St. Helens; Rec. Secretary, Mrs. James May, Blackey; Treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Cockerham, Quicksand; Historian, Mrs. W. E. Mattingly, Hazard; Sec. F. Missions, Mrs. Y. M. Jackson, Guerrant; Sec. A. H. Missions, Mrs. H. D. Johnson, Guerrant; Sec. C. E. M. R., Miss Mabel Hall, Levi; Sec. Religious Education, Mrs. Seldon Turner, Canoe; Sec. S. & P. H. Missions, Mrs. A. K. Tatum, Hazard; Sec. Spiritual Life, Mrs. W. H. Jackson, Jackson; Sec. Literature, Mrs. Bert Back, Whitesburg; Sec. C. Social Service, Mrs. A. V. Walters, Hazard; Chairman District I, Mrs. Frede Brodtkorb, Jackson; Chairman District II, Mrs. G. C. Wilson, Hazard.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to express our deep appreciation to everyone whose kind deeds and consoling words did so much to relieve our sorrow in the death and loss of our dear husband and father, George Webb, who died of a sudden illness on April 17th.

We cannot reach everybody personally, as we would so desire, but we especially wish to thank all those who gave the beautiful flowers, and cards of condoling messages; those who managed the household during our absence and to those who came to our home and offer their assistance in every way possible. We would not forget our brother-in-law, Doyle Hooper, and family, in whose home every means of tenderness and attention was given our loved one throughout his entire illness and in whose home the end came. And last, but by no means least, to Elders G. Bennett Adams, Dewey Sexton, J. B. Prince and others for their messages of hope rendered at the home and at the funeral service.

The beautiful arrangements by the Craft Funeral Home, and the long line of the procession whose tears mingled with ours, will be a living shrine in our memory forever.

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PROMOTION OF LEONARD B. ALLEN TO ASST. VICE-PRESIDENT C. & O. R. R. CO.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 28—Promotion of Leonard B. Allen to Assistant Vice-President—Assistant to the President of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company was announced today by Carl E. Newton, President of the road. Prior to this appointment, and since May 1, 1940, Mr. Allen served the C. & O., Nickel Plate and Pere Marquette railroads in the capacity of Assistant to the President.

Mr. Allen was born in Lexington, Ky. He was educated in the public schools there and at the University of Kentucky where he was graduated in 1899 with the degree of Bachelor of Civil Engineering. Immediately after graduation he entered service on the Southern Railway as masonry inspector. That same year, 1899, he transferred to the Chesapeake & Ohio as Resident Engineer, Construction.

From 1902 to 1920, Mr. Allen served, consecutively, as Assistant Engineer, Maintenance of Way; Division Engineer; Engineer Maintenance of Way, and General Superintendent. He was Superintendent Maintenance of Way from 1920 to 1926. During the ensuing seven years he was Assistant to Vice President. He was moved to Cleveland in 1933 as Assistant to Executive Vice President of the C. & O., Nickel Plate and Pere Marquette railroads, a post he held until his advancement to Assistant to the President of the three lines, three years ago.

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Dear Editor:

I want to congratulate you on your editorial of last week on the liquor question. It was fair, sound, and intelligent. It was not abusive to anybody or anybody's business. It hit hard and I am calling attention to it for fear some one failed to read it, who should do so yet.

The liquor traffic must go. It is too expensive in money, blood, life and character.

Our Circuit Judge was right when he condemned it in no uncertain words. He is generally right.

Every teacher in the county whether in school or out, should raise his voice against it. Teach the children to say, "No, I thank you, I am a teetotaler."

One liquor dealer said, "You fellows don't know business." Well, they know it won't do to put a drunkard in charge of their business. He will wreck it and himself too. Save the business and the people too. Save the boys and girls from this terrible curse. Vote for Prohibition.

—H. H. HARRIS.

WANTED TO BUY A PRESSURE COOKER.—If you have a pressure cooker for sale in good condition, I will pay top price for same.

—Mrs. W. P. Nolan.

McRoberts, Ky. An organization known as the Patriotic Club has been organized by the Colored people of Tom Biggs.

The object of the Club is to render service and entertainment to the draftees of the community.

The meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday nights of each month.

At a recent meeting Mrs. Gamble, Chairman of the finance committee and Mrs. Julia Reed, reported the sum of \$32.00.

Wm. Arrington, Pres. Gussie L. Russell, Sec. Alma Walker, Treas. E. Phillips, Reporter.

APPRECIATES THE MOUNTAIN EAGLE

Nashville, Tenn. April 21, 1943

Hello, Mr. Nolan:

I received my paper Monday and sure was glad to hear from you.

I am sitting here by the fire studying about the good times I used to have in Letcher Co. when I hear the news from home it makes me feel better. I thought I would try and make me a poem and send it in to the Mountain Eagle to have it printed in the Mountain Eagle so my folks back at home could read it and the Boys in my camp could read it. Goes like this:

The Eagle

The Mountain Eagle is like a

kite,

Over hills and mountains be-

fore daylight.

The day is gone as we sing this

song,

For the Eagle while he is gone.

Down in the Press he lies at

rest;

He folds his wings upon his

breast.

Out on the mountain he does

his best

To fly to the one he loves best.

Back in the hills of old Ken-

tucky and the Eagle,

Will say I know that tomorrow

will be my last day,

So farewell to the press.

I do my best I will fly right

back to my nest.

—Cpl. Volvie R. Champion.

U. S. Army, Nashville, Tenn.

LETTER FROM PVT.

HEBRON COMBS

Nichols General Hospital

Louisville, Ky.

To the Mountain Eagle,

Whitesburg, Ky.,

Dear Sir:

Will you please have this put

in my home county paper. I

would appreciate it very much.

You see I came in the Army

fifteen and a half months ago.

I stayed in the Mainland two

months and twenty-eight days,

then I was sent to foreign ser-

vice. I was first sent to the Hi-

waiian Islands, was there

for awhile, then they sent me

to the Fiji Islands and from

there to Guadalcanal. I am in

the Medical Corps. I was a

First Aid man with the 27th

Inf. in the 25th Div. You talk

about the fun with the Japs. We

really had the fun. They will

try to take every advantage or

plan they can to trip the Amer-

ican soldier off. The most of my

friends were brave and full of

courage. They really did the

work, and came out victorious.

Some of the boys who were in

the same division are still here

with me.

I could have gotten an honorable

discharge from the service,

but you see I want to stay in the

uniform and Army to do best

for the country I love, and try

to help win the war to hold free-

dom and liberty for all the

world. That was my intention

when I went into service to stay

as long as I am fit for active ser-

vice. I love to have the army

uniform on. It shows the love

of your country and all fathers

and mothers, all relatives and

friends.

I will be ready to go into ac-

tive duty again in about six

months. I do appreciate doing

so.

So thanks a lot all my sweet

dear mountain friends on the

home front for every thing, and

with my best regards I will sign

off.

Your friend,

Pvt. HEBRON COMBS.

NEW WAVE-SPAR

BOOKLET OFFERED

The same ratings, pay and

opportunities for advancement

which in the past have led thou-

sands of men to "choose the

Navy" are now open to enlisted

women in the WAVES and

SPARS. Women from 20 to

36 years of age are eligible for

enlistment.

"Never before in history,"

says Secretary of the Navy

Knox, "have American women

been offered such a chance to

serve their country. Never has

there been such an urgent need

for their services."

Full information about train-

ing and opportunities for use-

ful work is contained in the

new booklet, "How to Serve

Your Country in the WAVES

or SPARS." It is obtainable at

all Navy Recruiting stations and

offices of Naval Officer Pro-

curement.

Marriage regulations liberal-

ized. The rules regarding mar-

riage now read as follows:

A married woman may enlist

in the WAVES, provided her

husband is not in the Navy.

A married woman may enlist

in the SPARS, provided her

husband is not in the Navy.

A married woman whose hus-

band joins any branch of the

Armed Services after she has

enlisted retains her status in

the WAVES or SPARS.

An unmarried woman may

not marry during indoctrina-

tion and/or training. However,

after she has enlisted, she may

marry any one (including a

man in her own branch of the

Service), provided she does not

marry during the actual train-

ing period.

The Navy Recruiting Sta-

tion, Middlesboro, Kentucky,

will gladly mail one of these

booklets on request or contact

you personally for any infor-

mation desired.

Take the step you'll be proud

of all your life—volunteer for

the WAVES or SPARS today.

INDUCTED PERSONNEL

SENT TO STATIONS

The following newly inducted

personnel of the United States

Army have been sent forward

from the Reception Center at

Fort Thomas, Kentucky, to the

stations and addresses indi-

cated:

Sent to 17th Airborne Divi-

sion (Infantry) (Non-Jump-

ers), Camp Mackall, North

Carolina: John L. Adams, Ir-

vine, Ky.; James F. Niece,

Whitesburg, Ky.; Willie Bates,

Kona, Ky.; Van Combs, Whites-

burg, Ky.; Charles Cox, Eo-

lia, Ky.; Clay Engle, Bilvia,

Ky. Sent to Detached Enlist-

ed Men's List, Charleston P. of

E. Charleston, S. C.: Charley

McCown, Dunham, Ky.

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C, St. Petersburg, Fla.: Harry

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Recipe of the Week

As an appetite picker-upper in this spring of alternates, substitutes, stretchers and extenders, rhubarb takes a high place. Its delicate, rose-pink coloring and fresh, zesty flavor adds a finishing touch to make a meal a pleasant memory. In place of sugar in your rhubarb recipes use corn syrup, suggest food specialists at the Kentucky College of Agriculture and home Economics.

RHUBARB BETTY

2 1-2 c. diced rhubarb
1 1-2 c. bread crumbs
3-4 c. sugar or syrup
1-4 tsp. salt
1 tbsp. butter
2 tbsp. grated orange rind
1-3 c. water.

Place half the rhubarb in a baking dish. Combine bread crumbs and syrup, then sprinkle half of them over the rhubarb. Add the remaining rhubarb, crumbs, butter, salt and water. Sprinkle with grated orange rind and bake in mod-oven, 350 degrees, for 45 minutes.

County Court Clerk Cossie Quillen recently received a letter from the Attorney General's office to the effect that registration for voting in the local option election could continue up to and including the day of election. However, Clerk Quillen advises everyone to register as early as possible in order to assist the clerk and avoid the last minute rush.

Now is the time for all Victory gardeners to plant tomatoes, carrots, and the numerous other plants and vegetables. It is time to make that garden that we have dreamed about by the fireside all winter come true. Let's show the boys and our country that we are in earnest about helping in more ways than one.

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